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Student's verbal threat results in police presence at HAMS

A Hoopeston Area police officer was assigned to Hoopeston Area Middle School Friday after a 12-year-old student made a threat Thursday afternoon.

The nature of the verbal threat was not disclosed. In separate written statements, both Supt. Suzzette

Hesser and James DeWitt, acting police chief, said no students or staff were in danger.

"All threats to our students, faculty, and schools are taken seriously, investigated thoroughly, and disciplined. See HAMS on other side



Photo submitted

Building bodies, character

The Okinawan School of Karate put on a three-week After-School Karate Program for students at John Greer Grade School. Students came twice a week and worked on basic karate techniques and were also assigned character building homework assignments, receiving a stripe once they were completed. Those who earned five stripes were invited to a graduation at OSK where they received a karate uniform and performed in front of their parents. Each student paid \$20 for the program and all the funds were retained by the John Greer Grade School, in total the students raised \$480 for the school. The Okinawan School of Karate is at 208 E Main and is owned and operated by Instructor Mike Webb.

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Briefly

At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library include:
Monday Maniacs, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Monday. Wild and wacky fun for grades 3-6.

Cooking the Books, Thursday, Feb. 22. This month, "I love Chocolate." Select a recipe from the special cookbook section and our staff will copy it for

Correction

Jasmine Harms was misidentified in a story about her father, Warren Harms Jr., in Thursday's issue. Just the Facts regrets the error.

From the Blotter

Sherard T. Jones, 41, of Hoopeston, was charged with restraint of dog by owner after his dog was found running at large at 1:15 p.m. Friday in the 900 block of West Honeywell. He was issued a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

A **51-year old** Hoopeston man reported at 1:15 p.m. Friday that a license plate had been stolen in the 600 block of East Young.

you. Prepare it and bring it to share with others from 6-7 p.m.

Tiny Tots story program, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Friday. For kids ages 0-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

Free addictions/depression class

Free addition/depression classes are being held at 9:30

Obituaries

CASTILLO - Beatriz Castillo, 78, of Hoopeston, died at 11:50 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 14, 208 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. She was cremated. A memorial Mass will be at 11 a.m. Monday at St. Anthony Catholic Church, Hoopeston. Memorials are suggested to American Cancer Society or American Heart Association. Blurton Funeral Home, Hoopeston, is handling arrangements.

TAMMEN - Harry F. Tammen Jr., 68, of Milford, died Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2018 at home. Visitation was 10 a.m. until the 11:30 a.m. funeral Saturday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Burial was in Wenger Cemetery, Gilman. Memorials are suggested to Milford Ambulance.

a.m. Sunday mornings with Pastor Adam at First Baptist gym. Classes will run through the end of March in the church gym. A supplemental textbook, "Mood Tides" by Ron Horton, can be ordered on Amazon. All are welcome! For more information, call (217) 772-1390.

Court Dispositions

January 4

Melissa Johnson, Danville, case continued for further enforcement.

Belinda Solis, Hoopeston, two cases continued for further enforcement.

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: No school

TUESDAY: Chicken nuggets, broccoli/cheese, celery sticks, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Pork BBQ/bun, baked beans, Calypso Crush juice, applesauce, milk

THURSDAY: Pancake & sausage nuggets, hash brown, celery sticks, mandarin orange, milk

FRIDAY: Taco Max Snax, salad, baby carrots, chips & salsa, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle School

MONDAY: No school

TUESDAY: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Chicken strips, corn, salad bar, applesauce, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Mini corndogs, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Hoopeston Area High School

MONDAY: No school

TUESDAY: Country fried steak or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Chicken strips or ham & cheese, corn, salad bar, applesauce, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Mini corndogs or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Weather

Showers, breezy today, tonight. High 63, low 59. Tomorrow, showers, breezy, rain late. High 67, low 35.

HAMS continued from other side

plined to the fullest extent possible in conjunction with the local police department," Hesser's statement said.

DeWitt said the police department was working with the school district, state's attorney's office and the family of the student to resolve the incident.

After requesting police assistance, Supt. Suzette Hesser notified parents and the public via email and social media. Information was also posted on the district website, www.hoopeston.k12.il.us.

Classifieds

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